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MANILA FOR US DEL TO WFC

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SUBJ: WORLD FOOD COUNCIL

REF: STATE 127260

1. THE YUGOSLAV DELEGATION WILL BE HEADED BY IVO KUSTRAK, PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL COMMITTEE FOR AGRICULTURE (FCA). HE WAS BORN IN MIHOLJANAC, CROATIA ON JUN 20, 1929. KUSTRAK IS A GRADUATE OF THE AGRICULTURAL FACULTY OF ZAGREB UNIVERSITY. SOME OF THE POSITIONS HE HAS HELD ARE VICE PRESIDENT CROATIAN AGRICULTURAL UNION; VICE PRESIDENT ECONOMIC UNION OF CROATIA; AND MEMBER OF EXECUTIVE BOARD OF YUGOSLAV AGRICULTURAL BANK. FOR THREE YEARS HE WAS GENERAL DIRECTOR PIK SLJEME, ONE OF YUGOSLAVIA'S LEADING AGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIAL KOMBINATS. IN NOVEMBER 1971 HE WAS APPOINTED FEDERAL SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE OF THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL. IN A GOVERNMENTAL REORGANIZATION IN MAY 1974, THE AGRICULTURAL SECRETARIAT WAS REPLACED BY THE FCA AND KUSTRAK BECAME PRESIDENT. HE HAS DEEP PRARUICAL KNOWLEDGE OF AGRICULTURE. KUSTRAK UNDERSTANDS ENGLISH BUT IS RELUCTANT TO SPEAK IT

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2. DR. VLADIMIR STIPETIC WAS BORN JAN 27, 1928 IN ZAGREB. HE RECEIVED HIS DOCTORATE IN ECONOMICS FROM ZAGREB UNIVERSITY IN 1956 AND CURRENTLY IS PROFESSOR OF THE ECONOMICS FACULTY OF THAT UNIVERSITY. FROM 1971-1973 HE WAS A MEMBER OF CROATIAN EXECUTIVE COUNCIL AND PRESIDENT OF REPUBLICAN COUNCIL FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS. SINCE 1973 HE HAS BEEN CHAIRMAN OF YUGOSLAV

FAO COMMITTEE IN BELGRADE. DR. STIPETIC SPEAKS GOOD ENGLISH.

3. DR. MILAN TRKULJA IS COUNSELOR, FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.  
PRIOR TO TAKING THIS POSITION APPROXIMATELY TWO AND A HALF  
YEARS AGO, HE WAS PROFESSOR FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE UNIVERSITY  
OF NOVI SAD. DR. TRKULJA LED YUGOSLAV DELEGATION TO THE  
RECENT WFC PREPARATION MEETINGS IN ROME. HE SPEAKS GOOD ENGLISH.

4. DANILO VUJICIC - DEPUTY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF  
YUGOSLAVIA AT FAO.

5. DR. VLADIMIR STIPETIC IS YUGOSLAVIA'S CANDIDATE FOR VICE  
PRESIDENT OF WFC.

6. PLEASE SEND FULL LIST OF U.S. DELEGATION TO WFC,  
TO BELGRADE.  
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